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SITE FOR DAM HAS BEEN SELECTED

Cost for Dam and Canal to San Jose Will Be About $1,250,000

OLMSTED TO PREPARE REPORT

Absolutely Necessary for Every Acre of Land To Be Signed Up

Saturday, February 28th, a party of twenty-two representative men from different parts of the valley, explored the box canyon above Solomonville in an effort to locate a suitable site for a dam and high line canal. H. F. Olmsted, who has been employed by the Water Users' Association to do the surveying, make the plans, estimates and specifications, as required by law, for the appropriation of of water, was with the party.

Several sites were viewed and it was thought best to have Mr. Olmsted do some preliminary work and submit some partial estimates as to the advantages and disadvantages of the different sites, together with the probable cost of construction and the advantages offered by each for the generation of power.

Mr. Olmsted's report was submitted to the meeting Monday afternoon, and, after a thorough discussion of the various phases of the question, it was unanimously agreed to select the upper site suggested, which is located about one mile above the Brown dam, and run the survey from that site.

According to Mr. Olmsted's tentative calculations, the cost of a dam at this point, the construction of a canal to a point near the present head of the San Jose canal and the installation of a power plant at that point, would cost about one and a quarter million dollars. To that figure would be added, if the project should be undertaken, the cost of the canal from that point on down the valley until all the available lands had been covered and the installation of a system on the north side of the river, the cost of the whole project possibly reaching five million dollars. The cost per acre, if all the lands were included on an equal basis, would reach between $65.00 and $70.00 per acre.

Mr. Olmsted took up the work again Tuesday and will push it to completion, when we will know definitely just what such a system will cost, what it will be worth to us and all about it.

A rough estimate of the value of the power that might be generated was placed at $150,000 per annum.

It is now absolutely necessary that every acre of land in the valley be signed up in order that it may be included in the project and get the advantage of securing the water for the lands that at present have none and establishing the rights of the lands that now have water. And to do this the fee of twenty-five cents per acre must be paid.

The committees that were appointed some time ago to take subscriptions in the various towns will still attend to listing the lands and collecting the payments. Their names are given below in order that everybody may know where they can go to list their lands and make their payments:

Solomonville—Leslie W. Layton.
Safford—Bishop J. W. Greenhalgh.
Thatcher—R. G. Layton.
Central—H. W. Layton.
Pima—D. H. Weech, at Bank of Pima.
Glenbar—Ben Echols.
Ft. Thomas—J. Y. Lee.
Eden—Bishop H. C. Kimball.
Bryce—Bishop G. A. Peck.
Graham—Frank Skinner.

These men will list your lands and take the payment of the dues and transmit the same to the treasurer, who will mail you an official receipt and make a record of your subscription that your lands may be properly listed.

President Andrew Kimball submitted a paper which was read at the meeting, which outlined the work now being done at Washington by George H. Maxwell. (The paper will be published next week). It showed that several measures were pending in Congress, which if enacted into law would be of great benefit to us in securing what we will need to carry our plan to completion, but the one which seems to be most adapted to our needs is what is known as the "Smith-Fletcher" measure, which provides for the advance of money by the United States through the Federal Farm Loan Board to reclamation districts that vote their bonds for the amount required to complete their project, which bonds are deposited with the Federal Farm Loan Board as collateral against which the Farm Loan Board issues the U. S. bonds to run for not exceeding fifty years.

The bonds of the district are redeemed by payments made annually from assessments lewied against the lands of the district and collected as taxes are now collected. In this way the payment of the cost of the project could be distributed over a period of from twenty-five to fifty years and the annual assessments would be so small as to be hardly noticeable. Lands would pay in proportion to the benefits received.

But the first requisite is to get these plans and specifications which we are now working on, completed, and put ourselves in position to take advantage of the situation when the bill becomes a law, which in all probability it will, for the sentiment all over the United States is in favor of some such legislation.

This plan has the advantage over other plans that have been submitted, in that it makes it possible for any section anywhere in the United States to participate and does not take a cent from the public treasury. The bonds would be bought by the investing public.

GET BUSY, CLEAN UP

Safford and Layton Start Saturday to Make a Clean Town

"A clean town assures good health." With this motto in mind, the several organizations, comprising the Common Council, Woman's Club, Layton Relief Society, Methodist Aid Society, Baptist Aid Society, Safford Fire Department, Swift-Murphy Post, American Legion, in conjunction with the Town Health Officer, Dr. Stratton, have decided on a clean-up week, beginning Saturday, March 13th, and continuing to Wednesday, March 17th, during which time, the citizens of Safford and Layton are requested to clean up their entire premises.

All refuse, rubbish and brush should be burned, and all ashes, tin cans, etc., hauled to river dumping grounds.

Next Wednesday will be the last day, and the committee will have out teams to haul away all rubbish, etc., from premises at expense of individual.

Inspectors will follow up clean up week and report to committee.

The town has been divided into four sections and placed in charge of the different organizations, as follows:

Section 1—Bounded by south side of Main street and west side of Center street. In charge of Baptist Ladies' Aid Society.

Section 2—Bounded by North side of Main street and west side of Center street. In charge of Methodist Ladies' Aid Society.

Section 3—Bounded by north side of Main street and east side of Center street. In charge of Swift-Murphy Post, American Legion.

Section 4—Bounded by south side of Main street and east side of Center street. In charge of Woman's Club.

The work for the different organizations was completed at the meeting of the general committee, Monday night, at the Town Hall, with Chairman E. D. Householder presiding and Mrs. H. E. Cooper as secretary.

Cotton Growers To Meet March 20th

A meeting of all the prospective cotton growers of Graham county, is called for Saturday afternoon, March 20th, at 1:00 o'clock, at the county court house, Safford.

The purpose of the meeting is to reorganize the Cotton Growers' Association of Graham County, elect officers for the ensuing year and take up the proposition of amalgamation with the cotton growers of the Salt River valley.

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NEW MILLER HERE

Arrived at the Home of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Ginter This Morning

F. L. Ginter, manager of the Gila Valley Milling Co., was riding around town this morning on his bike, caring very little for the ruts in the road and with that smile on his countenance that some men wear at a very particular and happy moment of their lives.

Wondering over the happy smile of greeting as he rode up to us, the query in our face was answered by the following copy of a telegram he had wired to Leo Goldschmidt, at Tucson, as soon as he could break into the telegraph office this morning.

The copy, typewritten, showed evidence of great excitement, for he truly hit only the high places, leaving out the "e" in "Dear," and the "d" in "Goldschmidt," but it went through alright, if Miss Maud did not get too excited and depart from her usual calm method of telegraphy.

The telegram follows:

"SAFFORD, ARIZ.,
"March 12, 1920.

"MR. LEO GGLDSCHMIDT,
"Tucson, Arizona.

"DEAR MR. GOLDSCHMIDT:

"Kindly note the dark and light letters in each of the above words, as I am hitting the high places only this morning, account of arrival of new first-class miller at the Ginter house, after an all night fight, arriving 5:00 o'clock this morning, and weighed in at ringside at 8½ pounds, stripped for action.

"I believe this will be all, at least for the present.
this time.

"Sincerely,
"F. L. GINTER."

Buy Thrift Stamps.

An Enjoyable Evening Home Party

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Evan's home was a most brilliant scene Tuesday evening, when a large circle of friends gathered together and enjoyed a most delightful evening, under the direction of John Bilby, known as the home parties, which have proven quite a success.

A splendid musical program was rendered, and President Andrew Kimball gave a talk which everyone enjoyed. Short talks and jokes by other prominent men.

After the program a four-course luncheon was served by the hostess, assisted by her daughters, Mrs. Amos Cook, Mrs. Joseph Layton and Miss Flossie.

Mr. and Mrs. Evans were presented with a beautiful bouquet of carnations and an autograph album, with the names of their guests.

The guests departed at a late hour, all declaring they had a most enjoyable evening.

Will Celebrate St. Patrick's Day

Mt. Graham Lodge, No. 24, I. O. O. F., will celebrate St. Patrick's birthday, Wednesday, March 17th, by a dance in the evening at Layton Hall.

The Dynamite Jazz Orchestra will furnish the music for the occasion.

The Odd Fellows' dance is one of the enjoyable events of the season. Be sure and attend and bring your partner and jazz to the latest dynamite music in true Irish style.

The members of the Rebekah Lodge will have a candy booth in the hall and will sell delicious home-made candy.

New Bank Installs Latest Type Safe

The Arizona Trust and Savings Bank has installed its new York burglar proof safe received Monday.

The York is the strongest and best safe manufactured, being made of manganese steel. It has two combinations, three time locks and a compound door. There are separate compartments for currency, silver and gold coin.

IMPORTANT OIL MEETING

There will be a meeting of the people of this valley, to be held at the Bank of Safford, Wednesday, March 17th, at 3:00 p. m., to consider drilling for oil. All interested parties are requested to attend.

WINS BANKERS' CUP

Pima Canning Club Given Prize For The State Championship

For the second time, the Canning Club of Pima has won the State championship in canning work of the Boys' and Girls' Clubs; an honor which is also credited to the Canning Club of Thatcher.

The cup was originally awarded on condition that it must be won three times before it could be held as permanent property. Since each club has won it twice, it now remains to be seen which club will capture it for keeps.

However, there is a chance that an outside group might step in and take the cup out of the valley. In fact, it was only by the margin of a few points that Pima saved the day, for the St. David Club, over in Cochise County, crowded in between Pima and Thatcher for second place. It will be remembered that it was this club that entered a strong canning demonstration team in the contest of last season, and was one of the teams to receive a free trip to the State Fair.

The ratings of the three highest contenders were as follows:

Pima	96.
St. David	92.5
Thatcher	81.1

Pima excelled in percentage of completions, economy of production, grade of stories and number of quarts canned.

Other valley club members were: Otto Mangum, of Pima, garden champion; Elma Bigler, of Central, canning champion; Wyona Taylor, of Pima, extraordinary achievement in variety canning; Cecil Heywood, of Thatcher, third place in pig raising; Norma Mickleson, of Thatcher, second place in first year sewing work; and Minnie Mickleson, of Thatcher, third place in second year sewing work.

Gold, silver and bronze medals, tendered by the Arizona Bankers' Association, were respectively awarded. In addition, however, Elma Brigler, Otto Mangum and Wyona Tavlor received free trips to the University. This fine trip tendered at the joint courtesy of the University and the Bankers' Association.

Regular Meeting of the Woman's Club

The Safford Woman's Club met in regular session Friday afternoon, March 5th, in its club room in the basement of the court house.

After the opening preliminaries, a letter was read from Mrs. H. A. Guild, president of the A. F. W. C., who stated that she would visit the Safford club, Thursday, March 11th.

The hostesses having in charge the social meeting of March 19th, were asked to take charge of the special meeting of the 11th.

A letter of appreciation was read from President Chas. F. Solomon, in response to the receipt of a case of eggs sent by the Safford club to the tubercular patients of Comstock Hospital, in Tucson.

A motion to send further donations of eggs to the Comstock Hospital was put and carried.

After hearing yearly reports from all officers, the retiring president gave a short talk and gave place to the newly elected president, Mrs. J. N. Stratton, who, in a short address thanked the club for the honor conferred upon her.

A vote of thanks was tendered Mrs. H. E. Cooper and officers for their untiring efforts in behalf of the club during the preceding term.

One of the needs of the club is a piano and plans were set in motion to buy one in the near future.

The library also will soon be enriched by the addition of nearly 200 books, which have been ordered.

Miss Zimmerman, teacher of millinery from the University, will visit Safford in April and give six lessons in the making and trimming of a hat. These lessons will be given in the club room and the women of the community are cordially invited to attend.

WANTED—Sewing, plain and fancy; dressmaking. Prices reasonable. Mrs. S. E. Bowman, house rear of F. M. Layton's store. 5-2t

LOST—Wooden screw cap off transit tripod, between Safford and Solomonville. Return to GUARDIAN office and get reward.

HONOR MRS. GUILD

Banquet Given for State President of Arizona Federation Woman's Clubs

Mrs. Horace E. Cooper, State Chairman of the Civic Department, Arizona Federation of Woman's Clubs, assisted by the Civic Department of the Safford Woman's Club, gave a banquet at The Palms Cafe last night, in honor of Mrs. H. A. Guild, State President of the Arizona Federation of Woman's Clubs.

About sixty-five people were present and enjoyed one of the most delightful banquets of the season.

After the banquet, R. A. Armstrong, toastmaster, in his usual happy style, introduced the respondents to the several toasts that made the evening so enjoyable.

The following toasts were given:

Our Guest.....Mrs. Horace E. Cooper
Response.....Mrs. H. A. Guild
Welcome to Our Town.....Mayor J. T. Owens
Welcome by Woman's Club.....Mrs. M. E. Broderick
History of Safford Woman's Club.....Mrs. F. H. John
Activities of the Club.....Mrs. E. S. Wickersham
Resources of Graham County.....T. T. Swift
Future of Club.....Dr. Maud Callison
Beautify Your Town.....W. K. Dial

Mrs. Guild arrived here yesterday morning from Globe on an official visit to the Woman's Club.

In the afternoon, she was tendered a reception at the club room in the court house, where a short program was given and delightful refreshments were served.

After the reception, Mrs. Guild was taken for an auto trip down the valley.

Mrs. Guild left this morning for Willcox.

Social Meeting of Methodist Ladies' Aid

The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist Church spent a very pleasant afternoon, Tuesday, at the home of Mrs. W. B. Crawford, a half mile east of town.

Mrs. Henley, of Bisbee; Mrs. Swift and Mrs. Burton gave very interesting talks on the work being carried on in their home towns.

Mrs. Martin Jacobson and Mrs. W. B. Crawford became new members of the Society.

During the afternoon, delightful refreshments of sandwiches, cake and chocolate were served.

The Society decided that each member is to earn one dollar and tell how they did it at a meeting in the near future.

The Ladies are also making a collection of pennies. Every member is urged to save her pennies and give them to Mrs. H. D. DuBois.

FOR SALE—Farm and residence; also milch cow. See Mrs. N. A Bell, Layton. 2-4t

State Workers Attend Meeting

Leland S. Parke and Miss Agnes A. Hunt, State ditectors of Boys' and Girls' Club work, both from the University, have been spending the week in the valley.

The purpose of their visit was to assist the local representatives in getting the work organized and under way for the present season.

Very successful meetings were held, and judging from the enthusiasm and interest manifested at the well attended sessions, the Gila valley will, as usual, figure very prominently in the Statewide contests.

Safford Girl Married in El Paso, Texas

Mr. and Mrs. Roy W. Cobb arrived here Sunday evening for several days' visit at the home of Mrs. Cobb's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Beebe.

Mrs. Cobb (nee Della Beebe) and Mr. Cobb were married in El Paso, Texas, February 25, 1920, by Judge E. B. McClintock.

Roy Richardson, of Miami, was best man.

Mr. and Mrs. Cobb spent their honeymoon in Desdemona, Texas.

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When calling up a party on the phone, get the number from directory. It saves time at central and insures prompt service.

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SAVE YOUR TIRES

Consult Tire Expert at Gila Motor Co.'s Garage, on March 20th

More than 1,500,000 new automobiles will begin their careers in 1920, according to the estimates of automobile manufacturers. Each of these cars will require five tires—four on the wheels and a spare. This means 7½ million tires, just for the new cars. Many more millions will be used to renew the tires on the cars already in use. Some will run 3,000, some 5,000, some 10,000 miles. How many will attain their full mileage?

That no motorist of Safford and vicinity may be short any tire mileage when the time comes to replace their tires, The Gila Motor Company of Safford, has set aside March 20th, as Tire Conservation Day, and has secured a tire expert from the Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company, to assist in its observance.

This is in line with the national movement that has recently been inaugurated to help motorists obtain the full mileage built into their tires at the factory.

The tire expert will point out how to keep tires well in the beginning as well as doctor them when neglect has made them sick, and will indicate methods of tire care that will increase tire mileage surprisingly.

All of this bears on the new present era of tire merchandising, which is to sell tires to as many customers as possible, and to make them satisfied customers, so that they will come back regularly for their requirements.

The idea has come to stay that tire users may come to their dealers for advice and service—and this exemplifies the finest kind of relationship that can exist between a merchant and his customer.

At the coming Conservation Meeting on March 20th, individual attention will be given to the tire problems of each motorist.

Billy Alger Knocks Out Whitey Mullett

Billy Alger won his bout with Whitey Mullett, 17th Cavalry, Douglas, Saturday night at the Eisenhour Garage in quick time.

Mullett started in the game in a whirlwind fashion and landed a couple of swift ones to the face, but Billy got next in a flash and sent in a hot jab to right jaw, knocking Mullett to the mat for a count of four.

Mullett was hardly on his feet, before Billy landed his right on Mullett's right jaw and the soldier went down and out and stayed out.

The fight lasted less than two minutes, and Mullett got the surprise of his life.

Eddie Johnson was the referee for the big fight and the preliminaries. Judges were appointed for the Alger-Mullett bout, but they were not needed.

R. W. Smith and F. L. Ginter were timekeepers.

The preliminaries were all good, the best bout being being between Baker Archer and Jim Maxham, which resulted in a draw.

Before the gong sounded for the Alger-Mullett bout, Mack Spaw challenged the winner.

Crandall's Pharmacy Installs New Fountain

Crandall's Pharmacy received its new fountain this week, which was installed by James Newton, expert fountain man, sent by the Western Wholesale Drug Co., of Los Angeles, Cal.

The fountain, which was manufactured by the Liquid Carbonic Co., is 16 feet long, and is built of white marble. It has twelve syrup pumps, six draft arms, six crushed fruit retainers and four places for ice cream.

The back bar is also 16 feet in length, all white marble, with large French plate glass mirror, and a complete refrigerating system.

The new fountain is one of the handsomest in the Southwest and a decided improvement to this popular pharmacy.

If you need the plumber, call up the Gila Valley Plumbing and Heating, Phone 139. Located on Main street, next to Water Company's office. Rogge & Brenner. 5-2t

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JURY BOX FILLED IN WOOTTEN CASE

Over $15,000 Spent By Cochise County in Securing a Jury

TRIAL BEGINS THIS WEEK

County Attorney French Forced to Retire On Account of Sickness

TOMBSTONE, March 12.—After five weeks of unremitting interest the jury box has been filled in the case of H. E. Wootten, first of 213 defendants to be tried here for alleged participation in the I. W. W. deportations in Bisbee on July 12, 1917, the specific complaint in his trial being that he kidnapped F. W. Brown, now a deputy sheriff, on that day. Hundreds of men have been examined as to their qualifications as jurymen since the case opened here, and more than $15,000 has been spent by the county. To this sum of course, must be added the costs of the trial itself, which will begin as soon as the state and the defense has exercised their rights of peremptory challenge, which will reduce the number of jurors from 24 to 12, who will be actual arbiters in the case.

Almost every day of the examination of prospective jurors has been of interest. Several have been disqualified because of proved disloyalty to this government during the war with Germany; others have been removed after they had been selected because of expressions of bias made following their assertions of lack of opinion; one has been shot and paralyzed by a neighbor in a dispute concerning cattle; another has committed suicide while mentally irresponsible. The American Legion has forced George Roark, assistant county attorney, to make a public apology for aspersing soldiers of the United States, who were drafted and who fought in France under the provisions of the selective service act. Roark has also been criticised severely for his injection of the loyalty issue in the cases through his bitter attempts to keep on the jury men who had been challenged because of their lack of Americanism, if not active desire to impede this government while it was engaged in the greatest war of its history.

R. N. French, county attorney, who was forced to retire as head of the prosecution because of a cancer, has had the growth removed and will resume his duties as soon as his general health will permit. His place has been taken by George Roark and A. A. Worsley, an attorney of Tucson, who has put in a claim for $2500 for his services in the Wootten case alone. His services have been accepted by the board of supervisors, but no definite action concerning payment to him has been taken. The taking of actual testimony will begin this week.

Valley Cotton Shipped Wednesday

Tuesday was a busy day at the local depot when the cotton growers of the valley began loading their white product into the cars.

There were 168 bales loaded into two cars, which were shipped out Wednesday to New Orleans.

The cotton was bought by F. E. Devine, of Phoenix, for Stewart Bros., of New Orleans, La.

The price paid was 44½ cents per pound, Midland basis, and the total amount received was about $36,000.

NEW TONSORIAL ARTISTS

H. Anderson, of Los Angeles, Cal., and C. H. Kelley, of Dallas, Texas, are now presiding at chairs in the American Barber Shop, and both gentlemen are real artists in their line. Mr. Anderson is still in the single ranks, but Mr. Kelley is married and with his wife will make their home nere.

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THE ROLL OF HONOR

The following states have ratified the National Woman's Suffrage Amendment:

1	Wisconsin	June 10, 1919
2	Illinois	June 10, 1919
3	Michigan	June 10, 1919
4	Kansas	June 16, 1919
6	New York	June 16, 1919
7	Pennsylvania	June 24, 1919
8	Massachusetts	June 25, 1919
9	Texas	June 28, 1919
10	Iowa	July 2, 1919
11	Missouri	July 3, 1919
12	Arkansas	July 28, 1919
13	Montana	July 30, 1919
14	Nebraska	August 2, 1919
15	Minnesota	Sept. 8, 1919
16	New Hampshire	Sept. 10, 1919
17	Utah	Sept. 30, 1919
18	California	Nov. 1, 1919
19	Maine	Nov. 5, 1919
20	North Dakota	Dec. 1, 1919
21	South Dakota	Dec. 3, 1919
22	Colorado	Dec. 12, 1919
23	Rhode Island	Jan. 6, 1920
24	Kentucky	Jan. 6, 1920
25	Oregon	Jan. 13, 1920
26	Indiana	Jan. 16, 1920
27	Wyoming	Jan. 27, 1920
28	Nevada	Feb. 7, 1920
29	New Jersey	Feb. 9, 1920
30	Idaho	Feb. 11, 1920
31	Arizona	Feb. 12, 1920
32	New Mexico	Feb. 19, 1920
33	Oklahoma	Feb. 28, 1920

CONSUMERS PAY THE TAXES

The excess profits tax and the luxury tax comes out of the consumer and the consumer is the multitude.

Take confectionery, ices and soft drinks for example. For each adult there are ten children who buy these alleged luxuries.

The pennies on popcorn balls, the penny on chewing gum is added on to articles sold by weight and the child consumer pays.

More than one-seventh of all the sugar consumed is sold in confectionery stores and ice cream parlors and pays the luxury tax.

We penalize the growing appetite for sweets that is taking the place of alcohol with rising generations.

The excess profit tax and the luxury tax are relics of the war and should be discarded in favor of a more equitable tax system.

WAY TO BEAT TAX GAME

A dispatch from Washington states that government taxes during 1921 will amount to approximately $550 for every family in the United States. A labor man in Seattle has discovered a way to beat the game:

"We are going to pay the cost of the war through taxation," he said. "I will have to pay my share and the only way I can beat the game is to lend the government as much money as I can and get back as interest what I pay out in taxes.

"Therefore, I am buying War Savings securities, paying four per cent interest, compounded quarterly, and am advising every other man who works for a living to do the same. I know of no better place to put one's savings than in War Savings Stamps and Treasury Savings Certificates."

PENROSE ON THE JOB

Senator Penrose has so far improved, it is announced, that he can now devote some of his time and his attention to the affairs of the republican party, the congressional contingent of which he "bosses" when physically fit. Even those who dissent from Senator Penrose's political creed and dislike his methods will be glad to learn of his better health.

The republican party in congress is sadly in need of "bossing"—even if it be of the Penrose brand. Chairman Hays has attempted to spur the hybrid majorities in the Senate and House of Representatives to vary the monotony of "passing the buck" by passing a bill occasionally, but every republican congressman knows that Mr. Hays is a mere underling who takes his orders from Mr. Penrose and those of Mr. Penrose's coterie. No heed was paid to Mr. Hays.

If Mr. Penrose is now able to watch congress and issue direct commands, the republican leaders who have been helpless without his guidance, may be expected to show some activity. This probably wont be for the good of the country, but it will be a departure from the listlessness that has characterized the first two months of the regular session during Senator Penrose's absence.

Republicans have always desired and needed a "boss." They have always had one. They move fastest if not more surely when they are driven. If Mr. Penrose can get action from congress it will be more than the public has been able to do.

FILIPINOS DEBATE IN ENGLISH

The English language was used for the first time last week in the debates of the Filipino House of Representatives.

The fact was cabled to the United States Insular Affairs Bureau. The principal speakers were Messrs. Benitez, De Guzman and Virata. These members, it is stated, are graduates from the University of the Philippines.

English is taught exclusively in the public schools, and, it is announced, will continue to be if independence is granted. According to an estimate based on the census just completed, 70 per cent of the inhabitants of the Philippines over 10 years of age are literate. This is a higher percentage of literacy than that of any South American country.

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New Head Espee Lines in Louisiana and Texas

W. R. Scott, Federal Manager of the Pacific System Lines of the Southern Pacific, has been elected president of the Southern Pacific Lines in Louisiana and Texas. The election which is announced at the company's office in Tucson is effective with return of railroads to private control March 1st. Mr. Scott succeeds W. B. Scott, who has retired. His new jurisdiction covers the territory between El Paso and New Orleans, with a vast mileage radiating throughout Texas and Louisiana. His headquarters will be at Houston, Texas.

Prior to federal control, W. R. Scott was vice-president and general manager of the Pacific System Lines, becoming Federal manager under the Railroad Administration. He began his railroad career as a fireman on the Santa Fe and came to the Southern Pacific as assistant superintendent of Sacramento Division. Later he was made superintendent of the Salt Lake Division and supervised the completion of the famous Lucin cut-off across the Great Salt Lake. He was transferred to the Western Division with the same title, after which he was promoted to assistant general manager, then vice-president and general manager, and when the roads were taken over during the war, he became Federal manager.

Why Colds Are Dangerous

You are often told to "beware of a cold," but why? We will tell you: Every cold weakens the lungs, lowers the vitality and paves the way for the more serious diseases. People who contract pneumonia first take cold. The longer a cold hangs on, the greater the danger, especially from the germ diseases, as a cold prepares the system for the reception and development of the germs of consumption, diphtheria, scarlet fever and whooping cough. The quicker you get rid of your cold, the less danger of contracting one of these diseases. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has a great reputation as a cure for colds and can be depended upon. It is pleasant to take. 4-4t

Always Welcome

"You little rascal—played along the way, didn't you? Kept grandma waiting! Oh well, it's all right. Because

CALUMET
BAKING POWDER

is always right. It's worth waiting for. Always welcome. Never shirks its work. Never fails. Never wastes minutes or materials and I *know* it's pure and wholesome, as Calumet contains only such ingredients as have been approved officially by the U. S. Food Authorities."

You save when you buy it—you save when you use it.

HIGHEST Quality Awards

Salt River Valley Lands

We have some of the best buys in the Salt River Valley on our lists today. If you are thinking of coming to this famous and productive valley, don't fail to see us. We can show you the very best locations at the lowest prices.

Claridge & Campbell

301 No th First Avenue, Phoenix

Katty Corner From Post Office

Come in and get an Easy Chair for him - We have lots of them

Mrs. Love-Home:—

Come in and get a nice easy chair for your husband; have it sent home and Surprise him. Then he will ask you if YOU don't wish other things to furnish your home.

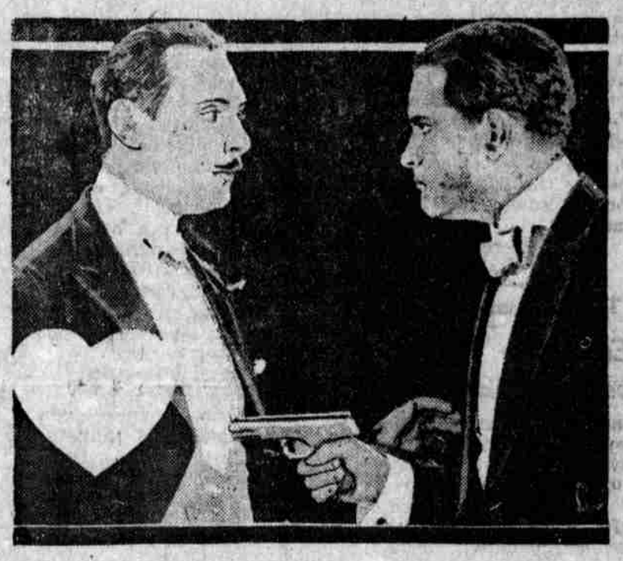
He will like his chair so well that he will urge you to buy the furniture you desire from us.

Respectfully yours,

Gila Valley Furniture & Hardware Store

SAFFORD ARIZONA

LEW CODY, IN
'THE BELOVED CHEATER'



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"Secret Service"
Pathe News

MONDAY, MARCH 15
Mabel Normand
"JINX"
Ford Weekly

TUESDAY, MARCH 16
Vivian Martin
"Innocent Adventures"
"The Immovable Guest" (Two-Reel Comedy)

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 17
Dorothy Dalton
"Other Men's Wives"
"The Trail of the Octupus"—No. 13

THURSDAY, MARCH 18
Katharine McDonald
"The Beauty Market"
Current Events

FRIDAY, MARCH 19
Norma Talmadge
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INCOME TAX IN NUTSHELL

WHO—Single persons who had net income of $1,000 or more for the year 1919.
Married couples who had net income of $2,000 or more.
WHEN—March 15, 1920, is final date for filing returns and making first payments.
WHERE—Collector of Internal Revenue for District in which the person resides.
HOW—Full directions on Form 1040A and Form 1040; also the law and regulations.
WHAT—Four per cent normal tax on taxable income up to $4,000 in excess of exemption. Eight per cent normal tax on balance of taxable income. Surtax, from one per cent to sixty-five per cent on net incomes over $5,000.

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NATIONAL FOREST TIMBER FOR SALE

SEALED bids will be received by the District Forester, Albuquerque, New Mexico, up to and including April 16, 1920, for 5,000,000 feet B. M., more or less, of dead timber, standing or down, and live western yellow pine and Douglas fir, white fir, Engelmann spruce, Mexican white pine and cork bark fir timber upon a designated area within Sections 28 and 29, T. 8 S., R. 24 E., G. & S. R. B.& M., Ash Creek Unit, Crook National Forest, Arizona. No bid of less than $2 per M. feet will be considered. $400 must be deposited with each bid to be applied on the purchase price, refunded, or retained in part as liquidated damages, according to condition of sale. The right to reject any and all bids reserved. Before bids are submitted, full information concerning the timber, the conditions of sale, and the submission of bids should be obtained from the Forest Supervisor, Safford, Arizona, or the District Forester, Albuquerque, New Mexico. 3-12, 3-19, 4-16

NOTICE OF SELECTION

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, AT PHOENIX, ARIZONA
STATE OF ARIZONA

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given that the State of Arizona, under the provisions of the Act of Congress, approved June 20, 1910 (36 Stats., 557), has filed in this office, its School Indemnity Land Selections applying to select as indemnity the land described as follows:

8593—044805—In T. 7 S., R. 20 E.: SW¼SE¼, Section 21.
(All in G. and S. R. M.)

During the five weeks' period of publication of this notice, or any time thereafter and before final approval and certification, this office will receive protests or contests as to any of the tracts applied for and transmit the same to the General Land Office.

Dated at Phoenix, Arizona, February 20, 1920.

J. L. IRVIN, Register.
SCOTT WHITE, Receiver.
First publication, Mar. 5, 1920.
Last publication, April 2, 1920.

SUMMONS

In the Superior Court of Graham County, State of Arizona.

Thomas H. Bell vs. John Q. Saylor, John Saylor, Jr., and John Saylor, Jr., as administrator of the estate of Mrs. S. F. Saylor, defendants.

Action brought in the Superior Court of the County of Graham, State of Arizona.

The State of Arizona sends greeting to: John Q. Saylor, John Saylor, Jr., and John Saylor, Jr., as administrator of the Estate of Mrs. S. F. Saylor, deceased.

You are hereby summoned and requested to appear in an action brought against you by the above-named plaintiff and answer the complaint filed with the Clerk of the above-entitled Court, at Safford, in the County of Graham, State of Arizona, within twenty (20) days (exclusive of the day of service) after the service upon you of this summons, if served in this county; in all other cases within thirty days.

You are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer the complaint as required by law, judgment by default will be taken against you.

Given under my hand and seal of the Superior Court affixed hereto at Safford, this 26th day of February, 1920.

H. L. PAYNE, Clerk.
Frist publication, Feb. 27, 1920.
Last publication, March 19, 1920.

SUPERIOR COURT NOTICE

In the Superior Court, of the State of Arizona, in and for the County of Graham.

In the matter of the guardianship of Cloyd Hoopes, a minor.

Notice of guardian's sale of real estate.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order of the Superior Court of the County of Graham, State of Arizona, made on the 8th day of March, 1920, in the matter of the guardianship of Cloyd Hoopes, a minor, the undersigned, guardian of the estate of said minor, will sell at private sale, in one parcel, to the highest bidder for cash, and subject to confirmation by said Superior Court, on or after Monday, the 29th day of March, 1920, all the right, title, interest and estate of the said Cloyd Hoopes in and to the real property hereinafter described, to-wit:

An un-divided one-fourth interest in that tract of land in Graham County, Arizona:

Beginning at a point 126 rods South of the Northeast corner of the Northwest quarter of Section eleven (11), Township seven (7) South of Range twenty-five (25) East of the Gila and Salt River Meridian on the South side of the right-of-way of the Arizona Eastern Railroad; thence Northwest along said right-of-way 50 rods; thence South 102 rods; thence East 40 rods; thence South 18 rods; to the railroad right-of-way 50 feet across; thence South 19 rods; thence East 32 rods; thence North 18 rods and 12 links to the A. E. R. R. grade 50 feet across; thence north 72 rods to the railroad right-of-way; thence northwest along said right-of-way 35 rods to the place of beginning, containing 40 1-40 acres, more or less.

All bids or orders must be in writing and may be left in the office of McFarland & Chambers, attorneys for said guardian, at Safford, Arizona, or may be delivered to said guardian personally, or may be filed in the office of the Clerk of this Court, at any time after the publication of this notice, and before the making of the sale.

Dated March 8, 1920.

MARY I. HOOPES,
Guardian of the estate of Cloyd Hoopes, a minor.
MCFARLAND & CHAMBERS,
Attorneys for the Guardian.
First publication, March 12, 1920.
Last publication, March 26, 1920.

SUPERIOR COURT NOTICE

In the Superior Court, of the State of Arizona, in and for the County of Graham.

In the matter of the estate of Mary Ada Hoopes, deceased.

Notice of administrator's sale of real estate.

Notice is hereby given that in pursurance of an order of the Superior Court of the County of Graham, State of Arizona, made on the 8th day of March, 1920, in the matter of the estate of Mary Ada Hoopes, deceased, the undersigned, the administrator of said estate, will sell at private sale, in one parcel, to the highest bidder for cash, and subject to confirmation by said Superior Court, on or after Monday, the 29th day of March, 1920, all the right, title, interest and estate of the said Mary Ada Hoopes at the time of her death, which was an undivided one-half interest in and to those certain lots, pieces and parcels of land described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point ten and sixty-five hundredths (10.65) chains east of the Southwest corner of the Southwest quarter (¼) of Section Three (3), Township Seven (7) South of Range Twenty-five (25) East of the Gila and Salt River Meridian in Graham County, Arizona: thence East nine and twelve hundredths (9.12) chains; thence North fourteen and forty-six hundredths (14.46) chains; thence Northwesterly along the Gila Valley, Globe and Northern Railway track six and ninety-six hundredths (6.96) chains; thence West three and four-hundredths (3.04) chains; thence South seventeen and sixty-five hundredths (17.65) chains to the place of beginning, and containing sixteen (16) acres, less one and one-half acres, sold to the Gila Valley, Globe and Northern Railway Company.

Also: Ten (10) acres of even width off the East side of the following described tract, namely: Beginning at the Southwest corner of the Southeast quarter (¼) of Section Three (3) in Township Seven (7) South, Range Twenty-five (25) East of the Gila and Salt River Meridian, in Graham County, Arizona; thence North seventeen and sixty-five hundredths (17.65) chains; thence East ten and fifty-five hundredths (10.55) chains; thence South seventeen and sixty-five hundredths (17.65) chains; thence West ten and sixty-five hundredths (10.65) chains, to the place of beginning, the said whole tract containing eighteen and seven-tenths (18.7) acres more or less.

Also: The West one-half of the Southeast quarter of the Northwest quarter and the West one-half of the Northeast one-quarter of the Southwest quarter of Section 3, Township 7 South, Range 25 East of the Gila and Salt River Base and Meridian, Graham County, Arizona.

Also: Commencing at the Southwest corner of the Northeast quarter of the Southwest quarter of said Section 3, running thence South four rods; thence East forty rods; thence North four rods; thence West forty rods to the place of beginning. Except the right-of-way of the Arizona Eastern Railroad Company, heretofore deeded to said Railroad Company, containing forty acres more or less. Also, three shares of the capital stock of the Union Irrigating Canal Company.

All bids or offers must be in writing, and may be left in the office of McFarland & Chambers, attorneys for said administrator, at Safford, Arizona, or may be delivered to said administrator personally, or may be filed in the office of the Clerk of this Court at any time after the first publication of this notice, and before the making of the sale.

Dated March 8, 1920.

SETH HOOPES,
Administrator of the estate of Mary Ada Hoopes, deceased.
MCFARLAND & CHAMBERS,
Attorneys for Administrator.
First publication, March 12, 1920.
Last publication, March 26, 1920.

SUPERIOR COURT NOTICE

In the Superior Court, of the State of Arizona, in and for the County of Graham.

In the matter of the estate of Isabella J. Kennedy, deceased.

Notice of administrator's sale of real estate.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order of the Superior Court of the County of Graham, State of Arizona, made on the 8th day of March, 1920, in the matter of the estate of Isabella J. Kennedy, deceased, the undersigned, the administrator of the estate of said deceased, will sell at private sale, in one parcel, to the highest bidder for cash and subject to confirmation by said Superior Court, on or after Monday, the 29th day of March, 1920, all the right, title, interest and estate of the said Isabella J. Kennedy, deceased, at the time of her death, which is described as follows, to-wit:

An undivided one-half interest in that tract of land:

Beginning at a point 12 rods South and 64 rods West of the Northeast corner of Section 18, Township 7 South, Range 26 East of the Gila and Salt River Base and Meridian, in Graham County, Arizona; thence South 660 feet; thence West 619 feet; thence North 450 feet; thence Northeast following the Union Canal to the place of beginning, together with all water rights thereunto appurtenant, including a three-fourths share of the capital stock of the Montezuma Canal Company, and three shares of the capital stock of the Layton Town Canal Company; also, one cow; Liberty Bonds of the par value of $100.00; 25 shares of stock in the Superior Arizona Copper Company; 100 shares of stock in the Porphyry Copper Company.

All bids or offers must be in writing, and may be left at the residence of the administrator at Safford, Arizona, or delivered personally to him, or may be filed in the office of the Clerk of this Court at any time after the first publication of this notice, and before the making of the sale.

Dated March 8, 1920.

DONALD J. KENNEDY,
Administrator of the estate of Isabella J. Kennedy, deceased.
MCFARLAND & CHAMBERS,
Attorneys for the administrator.
First publication, March 12, 1920.
Last publication, March 26, 1920.

NOTICE OF SCHOOL BOND ELECTION

Upon motion by Frank A. Webster, seconded by J. T. Owens, the Board of Supervisors, by a unanimous vote, passed and adopted the following resolution, and order.

WHEREAS, a petition has been filed with this Board, signed by fifteen per centum (15 per cent) of the property taxpayers who are, in all other respects, qualified electors of School District, No. 1, County of Graham, State of Arizona, requesting an election of the property taxpayers upon the question as to whether or not an indebtedness exceeding four per centum (4 per cent) of the value of the taxable property of said School District, as ascertained by the last assessment for State and county purposes, be authorized, and shall the negotiable coupon bonds of said School District be issued and sold in the aggregate amount of Fifty Thousand ($50,000) Dollars, for the purpose of building a school house in said district, upon what is known as the Hampton School House site, and supplying the same with furniture and apparatus, and improving the school grounds.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AND ORDERED, and it is hereby ordered by the Board of Supervisors of Graham County, Arizona:

1. That a special election by the property taxpayers of School District, No. 1, of Graham County, Arizona, who shall in all other respects be qualified electors in said School District, be and the same is hereby called for Friday, the 16th day of April, A. D. 1920, for the purpose of determining whether such indebtedness shall be authorized.

2. That at said election the following question be, and the same is hereby submitted to the property taxpayers, who shall in all other respects be qualified electors in said School District, for their determination, to-wit:

Shall an indebtedness exceeding four per centum (4 per cent) of the value of the taxable property of School District, No. 1, of Graham County, Arizona, as ascertained by the last assessment for State and county purposes, be authorized, and shall the negotiable coupon bonds of School District, No. 1, of Graham County, Arizona, be issued and sold in the aggregate amount of Fifty Thousand ($50,000) Dollars, bearing interest at the rate of five and one-half per centum (5½ per cent) per annum, said interest payable semi-annually on June 1st and December 1st of each year; said bonds to bear date the 1st day of June, 1920, and to become due and payable, as follows: Five Thousand ($5,000.00) Dollars on June 1st in each of the ten (10) years, 1935 to 1944, inclusive, and to consist of bonds in denomination of not less than Five Hundred ($500.00) Dollars, nor more than One Thousand ($1,000.00) Dollars, for the purpose of raising money for building a school house upon the Hampton School House site, in Safford, in said School District, and supplying the same with furniture and apparatus and improving the school grounds?

3. That the polls for the reception of ballots cast upon said question, on the day and date and at the place aforesaid, shall be opened at the hour of six o'clock a. m., and shall be kept open continuously until, and shall close at, the hour of six o'clock p. m., of said day.

4. That said election shall be conducted by an inspector and two judges and by two clerks of election, and the following persons are hereby appointed to act as inspector, judges and clerks of election, respectively, for the purpose of conducting such election, viz:

Inspector: ANNA N. FRENCH.
Judges: CHARLES KREUGER and HALLIE CLEMENT.
Clerks: D. M. HIBNER and EVA HALL.

5. That the voting place for said election shall be the regular voting place of said school district, viz: The north grammar grade building, opposite the court house.

6. Such election shall be by ballot, which shall be in substantially the following form:

OFFICIAL BALLOT
ELECTION, APRIL 16, 1920
School District, No. 1
Graham County, Arizona

Question Submitted

Shall an indebtedness exceeding four per centum (4 per cent) of the value of the taxable property of School District, No. 1, of Graham County, Arizona, as ascertained by the last assessment for State and county purposes, be authorized, and shall the negotiable coupon bonds of School District, No. 1, of Graham County, Arizona, be issued and sold in the aggregate amount of Fifty Thousand ($50,000) Dollars, bearing interest at the rate of five and one-half per centum (5½ per cent) per annum, said interest payable semi-annually on June 1st and December 1st of each year; said bonds to bear date the 1st day of June, 1920, and to become due and payable as follows: Five Thousand ($5,000.00) Dollars on June 1st in each of the ten (10) years, 1935 to 1944, inclusive, and to consist of bonds in the denomination of not less than Five Hundred ($500.00) Dollars, nor more than One Thousand ($1,000.00) Dollars, for the purpose of raising money for building a school house upon the Hampton School House site, in Safford, in said School District, and supplying the same with furniture and apparatus and improving the school grounds?

FOR THE BONDS ☐

AGAINST THE BONDS ☐

The voter shall indicate his vote for or against the proposition submitted by placing a mark (X) in the square opposite the group of words expressing his choice.

7. The returns of said election shall be submitted to the Board of Supervisors of Graham County within twelve days from the date of such election; whereupon said Board of Supervisors shall hold a special meeting on the first Monday succeeding said twelfth day for the purpose of canvassing the vote cast at said election, and they shall immediately thereafter, by certificate, declare the result of said election, and said certificate of the result of election so made shall be prima facie evidence of the complete performance of all the conditions and requirements precedent to the holding of such election.

8. The Clerk of this Board is hereby authorized and directed to cause to be posted at least five (5) copies of this order in public places within said School District, at least twelve days prior to the date of the election hereby called, and shall have posted a copy of said notice at the polling place of said election hereinbefore specified; provided, that in addition to the posting of such notice, publication of a copy thereof shall be made in THE GRAHAM GUARDIAN, a newspaper designated by the Board, being a newspaper published in Graham County, Arizona, and of general circulation therein, for at least thirty (30) days prior to the date of the election hereby called.

9. This resolution and order shall be entered of record in the minute book of the Board and the Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to effectuate the various provisions hereof.

Passed and adopted this 1st day of March, A. D. 1920.

H. J. DOWDLE,
Chairman of the Board of Supervisors of Graham County, Arizona.
ATTEST:
MARTIN LAYTON, Clerk.
First publication, March 12, 1920.
Last publication, April 9, 1920.

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Do not allow the poisons of undigested food to accumulate in your bowels, where they are absorbed into your system. Indigestion, constipation, headache, bad blood, and numerous other troubles are bound to follow. Keep *your* system clean, as thousands of others do, by taking an occasional dose of the old, reliable, vegetable, family liver medicine.

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The Graham Guardian

JOHN F. WEBER. - - EDITOR

MARCH 12, 1920

THATCHER NEWS

Mrs. Mada Layton and children are here from Ft. Grant, visiting with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Wm. Johns has been confined to her bed this week and it is reported that she is in a serious condition.

Will Cluff, of Mesa, is in town this week. He came here to be with his sister, Mrs. C. W. Wright, who is dangerously ill.

Robert Heywood, who has been attending school and working in Utah for about two years, returned to his home this week.

S. C. Heywood is in Phoenix this week attending to business in connection with his work as county school superintendent.

Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Nelson are the proud parents of a lovely baby girl, which was born to them on Saturday, March 6, 1920.

John F. Nash and President Andrew Kimball made a short trip to Ft. Grant this week, leaving here Sunday and returning Monday.

Floyd McBride, who was here to attend the funeral of his grandfather, S. J. Sims, last week, has returned to his work in Miami.

The comedy-drama, entitled "An Early Bird," was presented at the Amusement Hall last Thursday evening, by the Thatcher West Ward Relief Society. The play was well cast and the interpretation of the characters was splendid. A large and enthusiastic audience attended and pronounced the play a success.

Dave Kimball has purchased a pharmacy in Phoenix and has returned here to dispose of his property prior to moving his family to the capitol city.

Mrs. Felma Webb, who has been living in Phoenix for the past six months, is in town, making a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hyrum Brinkerhoff.

Karl Cluff, of Miami, is in town this week. He was called here to the bedside of his sister, Mrs. C. W. Wright, who is staying at the home of President Andrew Kimball.

There is no family in town more happy or proud this week than Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Matthews, who have received the present of a beautiful little baby girl, born to them Friday, March 5, 1920.

A long-legged bird, known as the stork, flew over our town this week and left in his wake a pair of happy parents and a tiny bundle, known as a baby boy. The new professor of agriculture is getting along fine, as is also his mother.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday School at 10:00 a. m. Preaching at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

B. Y. P. U., at the parsonage, at 6:30 p. m., and the Intermediate B. U. meets at the church, at 6:30 p. m. Mrs. Connor, superintendent; Mrs. W. S. Love, assistant.

The pastor's subject for Sunday morning will be, "Business and Religion."

For the evening service, an Exposition in the Second Chapter of First John.

Special features for Sunday morning, a duette, by Mrs. Austin Rhoads and Miss Maud Roach. Miss Dodge will sing at the evening service.

The pastor and wife entertained the official board, Tuesday evening. Many problems and features of the work were discussed, after which refreshments were served.

This church is heartily cooperating in the Baptist "New World Movement," which calls for the subscribing of one hundred million dollars by the Baptists of the Northern Baptist Convention, between April 25th and May 7th, of this year. Besides local expenses, this church will raise its quota of the $100,000,000 for mission purposes.

The Ladies' Aid met in business session Tuesday afternoon.

A welcome for the public, strangers, visitors and for all.

HARDIE CONNOR, Pastor.

Horses Wanted

Will have buyer here in near future for horses from five to nine years old, fifteen to sixteen hands high, broken, suitable for government use. Let me know what you have. S. N. Holman. 5-3t

Mr. Good Good Says: Our GOODS are GOOD; our PRICES LOW.

METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. J. L. Lyons, pastor of the Methodist Church, who has been quite sick the past two weeks, suffering from a severe cold, has so far improved that he will occupy the pulpit next Sunday morning and evening.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE BANK OF SAFFORD

At Safford, in the State of Arizona, at the close of business, February 28, 1920:

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts, less due from directors		$408,746.29
Due from directors		13,929.96
Overdrafts		4,746.87
United States bonds		28,932.74
State, county and municipal bonds		20,000.00
Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc.		2,817.59
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		11,900.00
Specie	$7,461.16	
Legal tender and national bank notes	15,698.00	
Exchanges for clearing	105.60	
Other cash items	4,509.99	
Due from state and national banks, approved reserve agents	194,544.71	
Due from state and national banks, not reserve agents	11,267.10	
		233,586.56
Assets not included under above heads, viz:		
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank		2,200.00
Total		$726,860.01

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in		$33,000.00
Surplus		42,000.00
Undivided profits, less current expenses and taxes and interest paid		3,677.47
Individual deposits subject to check	$525,228.66	
Time certificates of deposit	69,368.41	
Certified checks	245.00	
Cashier's checks outstanding	11,343.93	
Due State and National Banks	10,946.54	
		617,132.54
Bills payable		30,000.00
Bills rediscounted with Federal Reserve Bank		1,050.00
Total		$726,860.01

State of Arizona, County of Graham, } ss:

I, A. H. Ferrin, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

A. H. FERRIN, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of March, 1924.

M. E. BRYCE, Notary Public.

My commission expires March 6, 1924.

Correct-Attest:

PH. FRUEDENTHAL,
Z. C. PRINA,
J. R. WELKER,
Directors.

The Best Laxative

"My sedentary habits have necessitated the use of an occasional laxative. I have tried many but found nothing better than Chamberlain's Tablets," writes George F. Daniels, Hardwick, Vt. Mr. Daniels is proprietor of the Hardwick Inn, one of the model hotels of New England. 4-4t

$25.00 CASH PRIZE

The Safford Flour Mill Company offers a cash prize of **$25.00** to anyone suggesting the most appropriate name for its leading brand of flour.

EVERYONE CAN ENTER THIS CONTEST

Fill out the following coupon and address it to the Safford Flour Mill Company, Safford, Arizona:

Name For Flour.....

Signature.....

Post Office.....

Contest closes March 15, 1920

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF ARIZONA TRUST AND SAVINGS BANK

At Safford, in the State of Arizona, at the close of business, February 28, 1920:

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts, less due from directors		$296,394.17
Due from directors		14,000.00
Overdrafts		3,506.92
United States bonds		70,650.00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		17,210.00
Real estate		1,658.00
Specie	$4,225.58	
Legal tender and national bank notes	7,970.00	
Exchanges for clearing	1,799.33	
Due from state and national banks, approved reserve agents	19,693.83	
Due from state and national banks, not reserve agents	8,015.76	
		41,705.00
Accrued interest		2,300.00
Expense and interest paid		3,967.37
Total		$451,391.46

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in		$100,000.00
Undivided profits		1,214.14
Individual deposits subject to check	$239,644.41	
Savings deposits	443.48	
Demand certificates of deposit	260.00	
Time certificates of deposit	26,778.15	
Cashier's checks outstanding	6,809.45	
Due state and national banks	1,691.83	
		275,627.32
Bills payable		50,000.00
Bond account		24,550.00
Total		$451,391.46

State of Arizona, County of Graham, } ss:

I, Wm. McRae, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

WM. MCRAE, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of March, 1920.

LEE N. STRATTON, Notary Public.

My commission expires Mar. 6, 1924.

Correct-Attest:

J. W. MATTICE,
W. R. CHAMBERS,
W. W. PACE,
Directors.

RICH GIRL TURNS HOODLUM

Then Robber to Save Lover From Her Family's Plot

Demonstrating that poor people are more susceptible to the efforts of DAN CUPID than the wealthy, **Mary Pickford,** as Amy Burke in

"THE HOODLUM"

which will be seen at the **Safford Theatre,** Monday, March 25th, finds her husband in the tenements instead of the society circle on Riverside Drive, where she had been living.

HOW TIMES CHANGE!

In the tenements, garbed in the rather striking manner of the neighborhood girls, Amy finds that life with its fun, hardships, emotions and sentiment is far more developed among the poor than among her wealthy set.

"William Turner," Amy says to her tenement-sweetheart, "three months ago I didn't love anyone but Cleopatra (referring to the cat), but now I love you. I guess it's because love comes easier too poor people. Maybe its because love is the only luxury that God provides for people who don't know a finger bowl from a cuspidor."

Has Had Stomach Trouble for Seven Years

Theodore Sanford, of Fenmore, Mich., has had stomach trouble for seven years and could not eat vegetables or fruit without pain in the stomach and restless nights. By taking Chamberlain's Tablets he is now able to eat vegetables or fruit without causing pain or sleeplessness. If troubled with indigestion or constipation give these tablets a trial. They are certain to prove beneficial. 4-4t

PEARL OIL

(KEROSENE)

FOR OIL HEATERS COOKSTOVES AND LAMPS

STANDARD OIL COMPANY (CALIFORNIA)

VALUABLE HORSE SAVED

Expected Horse Would Die—Now Sleek and Healthy.

In reporting his experience, Mr. J. C. Huste, of Rock Bridge Baths, Va., stated: "My horse is the best advertisement you would want for Dr. LeGear's Stock Powders. He was in a run down fix and poor and I thought he would die soon. I got some of Dr. LeGear's Stock Powders—and today he is as fine a looking horse as you can see in this section. I only used a few boxes of Dr. LeGear's Stock Powders."

Mr. Huste benefitted by the advice of Dr. LeGear, Graduate Veterinary Surgeon of 27 years' experience. By following the Doctor's treatment, you can keep your stock sleek and healthy. Here's his offer to you. Get a package of Dr. LeGear's Stock Powders from your dealer; feed it to your horses, milk cows, steers, hogs, and sheep as per directions. If after a thorough trial, the results are not satisfactory, just return the empty carton and your money will be cheerfully refunded.—Dr. L. D. LeGear Med. Co., St. Louis, Mo.

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The Peoples' Store

"The Store For Everybody"

We are now prepared for your Easter wants. Besides our BARGAIN COUNTERS, on which everybody can find something useful for a little money, we have received a big variety of Summer materials, which are on display at moderate prices.

We were successful in purchasing the most up-to-date patterns of **PRINTED VOILES,** which can easily take the place of the most expensive Georgette Crepe.

Extraordinary Offering For the Little Ones

For This Week Only will be our high-grade Amoskeag Romper Cloth in the most desirable patterns, suitable for Childrens' Dresses, Boys' Wash Suits and Shirts at the ridiculous low price, of per yard... **40c.**

Our supply of this material being limited, we are forced to sell not more than 15 yards to each customer.

Besides our Bargain Counter of SHOES, we are at the present time fairly well assorted in our regular line of SHOES for the whole family, at very moderate prices.

A visit to OUR STORE will be appreciated and will repay you.

THE PEOPLE'S STORE

Main St. J. HOROWITZ, Prop. Safford

THE HOGG CREEK REFINING COMPANY

STEPHENVILLE, TEXAS

CAPITAL $300,000 PAR VALUE $1.00

REFINING CAPACITY, 4,000 BARRELS

With three million more automobiles being placed on the market in 1920, which will bring the total number in use in 1920, about 8,675,000, and the average car consumes 500 gallons, or 12.3 barrels per year, this would mean that during 1920 at least 100,000,000 barrels of gasoline must be produced by the refineries for consumption; add to this 10,000,000 barrels which will be needed for export, tractors, and other use, bringing the total up to 110,000,000 barrels. This is an increase of 17,000,000 over 1919. Gasoline manufactured by refineries in the United States will have to be greatly increased during 1920 to meet the demand by autos and combustion engines, which showed a larger rate of increase in 1919 than did gasoline.

Refineries manufactured, approximately, 92,700,000 barrels of gasoline, in 1919, an increase of 7,700,000, or 9 per cent over 1918. The number of motor cars registered at the end of 1919, showed a gain of 22 per cent over 1918, hence refineries of the United States will have to be greatly increased during 1920 to meet the demand for gasoline and other products.

M. R. Kelly, Vice-President and General Manager of the Hogg Creek Refining Co., writes me under date of March 4th, as follows:

"We expect to receive our tanks in the next few days as they are now en route, and after these have been placed in our refinery, it will begin to loom up as a real refinery.

"Weather conditions at Stephenville have been very good of late, and we have taken advantage of same by working overtime on the refinery. Work is now moving along very rapidly, and we really expect to be in operation sooner than we at first anticipated.

"Our acreage is increasing in value every day, and we have been offered 100 per cent profit, on a part of it, and we did not think it advisable to sell at this time, due to the fact that there is going to be in the neighborhood of seventeen new wells near this acraege, and when this is done, our holdings will go sky-high."

Liberty Bonds Accepted at Par

J. A. WARDLAW

State Agent Safford, Ariz.

Office Next Door to Pace Hardware Co.

Mr. Wardlaw has underwritten a small block of Refinery stock, which he will sell at $1.00 per share while it lasts. The stock went to $2.00 per share on February 15th.

Tire Care Demonstration

COME

How an automobile tire is built—why it is built that way and **how** to get more miles from the tires you use will be explained at our store by a Goodyear Tire Expert on

MARCH 20

He will be with us **All Day.** We call it a **Tire Conservation Day** and have arranged for a complete illustrated demonstration on the construction and care of tires.

You will get many points which will help you reduce definitely your tire expense.

A half hour spent with this man will do any user of tires—either passenger car or truck—a lot of real good. And it won't cost you a cent.

Remember the day—All day **March 20.**

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